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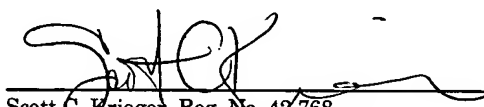
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**PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT  
ABANDONED UNAVOIDABLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(a)**

and

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS**

Attention: Office of Petitions  
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Sir:

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to file a  
timely and proper reply to a Notice to File Corrected Application Papers by the  
United States Patent and Trademark Office. The date of abandonment is the

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day after the expiration date of the period set for reply in the Office notice plus any extensions of time actually obtained. Applicant hereby petitions for revival of this application.

Applicant submits that the entire delay in filing the required reply to the notice from the due date until the date of this petition was due to a lack of knowledge of the requirement because the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers was not received by applicant until applicant made a status request, to which a response was received by facsimile on November 7, 2002. Applicant promptly ordered substitute drawings as required in the notice. These drawings are submitted herewith in response to the notice.

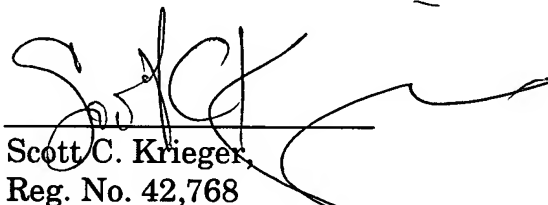
As the original notice was not received in time to respond thereto, the delay was unavoidable. Applicant further submits that internal procedures are in place for receiving such mail and docketing such notices, however no notice was received.

Drawing submitted herewith comprise nine (9) figures on 5 sheets hereby submitted as substitute drawings. A copy of the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers is enclosed herewith.

Payment is hereby authorized for the petition fee under 37 CFR 1.17(l) in the amount of \$110.00. Please charge Deposit Account No. 50-0803 in the amount of \$110.00 for this fee. The Commissioner is also hereby authorized to charge any underpayment of fees and credit any overpayment of fees associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 50-0803.

Respectfully submitted,

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